

SENATE BILL No. 136

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 27-8-11-7; IC 27-13-36-12.

Synopsis: Health care provider contracts. Prohibits health insurers and health maintenance organizations from requiring a provider, as a condition of providing health care services under a plan, policy, or contract, to provide health care services under any other plan, policy, or contract.

Effective: July 1, 2001.

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January 8, 2001, read first time and referred to Committee on Health and Provider Services.

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First Regular Session 112th General Assembly (2001)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2000 General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning insurance.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 27-8-11-7 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
2 AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY
3 1, 2001]: **Sec. 7. An insurer may not require, as a condition of a**
4 **provider providing health care services under any plan, policy, or**
5 **contract that is issued, delivered, or entered into by the insurer,**
6 **that the provider also provide health care services under any other**
7 **plan, policy, or contract that is issued, delivered, or entered into by**
8 **the insurer.**

9 SECTION 2. IC 27-13-36-12 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
10 CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
11 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: **Sec. 12. A health maintenance**
12 **organization may not require, as a condition of a provider**
13 **providing health care services under any plan, policy, or contract**
14 **that is issued, delivered, or entered into by the health maintenance**
15 **organization, that the provider also provide health care services**
16 **under any other plan, policy, or contract that is issued, delivered,**
17 **or entered into by the health maintenance organization.**



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1 SECTION 3. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001] (a) **IC 27-8-11-7 and**
2 **IC 27-13-36-12, both as added by this act, apply to contracts with**
3 **providers that are entered into, amended, or renewed after June**
4 **30, 2001.**
5 (b) This SECTION expires June 30, 2006.

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